



Climate change kills at least 300 000 every year

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Abstract:

Hundreds of millions of people are being exposed to increased water stress as our planet warms up, over 40% of ecosystems are compromised, coastal flooding and storms are increasing and subsistence farmers and fisher folk face a bleak future.

Source: <http://www.samj.org.za/index.php/samj/article/view/3132/2215>

Resource Description

Exposure :

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Ecosystem Changes, Food/Water Security, Food/Water Security, Temperature

Food/Water Security: Agricultural Productivity, Fisheries, Nutritional Quality

Temperature: Extreme Heat, Fluctuations

Geographic Feature:

resource focuses on specific type of geography

Ocean/Coastal, Other Geographical Feature

Other Geographical Feature : Wetlands

Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

Global or Unspecified

Health Impact:

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

Cardiovascular Effect, Developmental Effect, Infectious Disease, Morbidity/Mortality, Respiratory Effect

Developmental Effect: Cognitive/Neurological

Infectious Disease: General Infectious Disease

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Foodborne/Waterborne Disease: Other Diarrheal Disease

Mitigation/Adaptation: ☒

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Mitigation

Resource Type: ☒

format or standard characteristic of resource

Research Article

Timescale: ☒

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified